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Special Services Fees and Classifications) Docket No. MC96-3

OFFICE OF THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE
INTERROGATORIES TO UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
WITNESS RICHARD PATELUNAS
(OCA/USPS-T5-1)
(July 1, 1996)

Pursuant to sections 25 and 26 of the Rules of Practice of the Postal Rate Commission, the Office of the Consumer Advocate hereby submits an interrogatory and request for production of documents. Instructions included with OCA Interrogatories 1-4 to the United States Postal Service dated June 19, 1996, are hereby incorporated by reference.

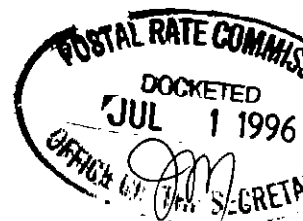
Respectfully submitted,



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OCA/USPS-T5-1. Refer to pages 8-11 of your testimony concerning changes to the Postal Service's costing methodology for 1995.

a. For each change in costing methodology, please explain and describe the significance of such changes in costing methodology on the attributable costs of each of the special services that are the subject of this proceeding. Do any of these costing changes affect attributable costs for a special service in this proceeding by 2 percent of more? Please explain.

b. For each change in costing methodology having more than a 2 percent effect, please estimate the percentage effect of such costing change on the attributable costs of each of the special services that are the subject of this proceeding.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 3.B(3) of the special rules of practice.

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